

### **REMARKS**

Claims 1-17, and 25-31 were pending and presented for examination in this application. Claims 1, 25, and 27 hereby amended. No new matter is introduced by the amendments.

### **Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement**

Consideration of the references included in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is respectfully requested. The references were cited in an Office Action dated June 15, 2007 from German Patent and Trademark Office. The Examiner is respectfully requested to indicate the consideration of the references in the next communication with the Applicants.

### **Conclusion**

It is submitted that all pending claims 1-17, and 25-31 are in condition for allowance. Favorable action is solicited.

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